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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Resources Division, ORR

25X1 ATTENTION : [REDACTED]

THROUGH : Chief, Requirements Branch, Reconnaissance Group, CGS

FROM : Chief, CIA/PID (NPIC)

SUBJECT : Komsomolsk Petroleum Refinery, USSR

REFERENCES : (1) ORR Requirement No. C-RR4-81,286
(2) CIA/PID Project No. C 671/64

1. This memorandum is in response to the referenced requirement which asks for a description of the petroleum refinery at Komsomolsk, USSR. This description is to include the level of construction, coordinates, areal extent, and enumerate the individual refining units in existence or under construction, and to provide annotated photographic enlargements of the refinery.

2. The Komsomolsk Petroleum Refinery is located in the extreme northern outskirts of Komsomolsk approximately one mile northwest of the north end of the runway at Komsomolsk Airfield at geographic coordinates 50° 37'N - 137° 04'E. The fenced portion of the refinery proper covers an area of approximately 200 acres. The main refinery area occupies less than one half of this area.

The refinery is accessible by highway and railroad from Komsomolsk proper and by pipeline from the Amur River about 4½ miles southeast. The refinery is comprised of a distillation unit, crude heater, gas recovery area, a heat and power house, warehouse and storage areas, numerous gas and liquid storage tanks.

25X1 Comparatively little activity could be seen in the refinery area at the time of [REDACTED] and no atmospheric emissions could be detected at the various units in the complex.

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- (a) Installation of a crude heater
- (b) Six new storage tanks were added in the refinery area
- (c) Area cleared on east side of crude heater
- (d) Addition of warehouse type building. No other significant changes were noted.

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missions. The enclosed photo enlargements were selected from these

5. The photo analyst assigned to this project was [redacted] who may be contacted on extension [redacted] should you have further questions regarding this project. This requirement is considered to be complete as of the date of this memorandum.

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ENCLOSURES:

- 1 Map (CIA/PID/IB-P-953/64)
- 1 Overlay (CIA/PID/IB-P-957/64)
- 3 Photo Enlargements (CIA/PID/IB-P-954/64 thru P-956/64)

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